Form PTO-1449 6-4

SERIAL NO. OF COMMERCE ATTY. DOCKE **FORM PTO-1449** U. S DEPARTM PATENT AND 1 10/049,333 U 013869 INFORMATION DISCLOSURE **APPLICANT** STATEMENT BY APPLICANT JUL 2 6 2002 XIAOHONG ZHANG, et al. (Use several sheets if necessary **GROUP** FILING DATE February 11, 2002 U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS REFERENCE DESIGNATION FILING DATE **EXAMINER** SUB-DOCUMENT INITIAL APPROPRIATE DATE CLASS **CLASS** NUMBER NAME . 528 15 Shimizu et al. 2 5/1988 AA 5/1988 Yoshida et al. 528 15 0 AB 3 AC 6 6/1988 Shimizu et al. 528 15 5 Harashima et al. 528 29 8 3 7 9 3 11/1998 AD ΑE 5 5 9 7/1996 Inokuchi et al. 428 407 5 0 3 1/1992 Ueda et al. 428 402 8 2 AF 264 4 3 6 2 6 7 12/1982 DuPont et al. 22 AG AH ΑI AJ ΑK FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS DOCUMENT SUB-TRANSLATION CLASS CLASS DATE COUNTRY NUMBER YES NO 6/1997 JP Х AL 9 6 9 9 1 0 AΜ 8 0 9 2 6 2 4/1996 JΡ Х Х 4 2 0 2 2 2 7 7/1992 JP ΑN AO AΡ ART (Including Author, Title, Date, Pertinent Dates, Etc.) Patent Abstracts of Japan of JP 9-169910 Dated June 30, 1997 AR Patent Abstracts of Japan of JP 8-109262 Dated April 30, 1996 AS Patent Abstracts of Japan of JP 4-202227 Dated July 23, 1992 **DATE CONSIDERED EXAMINER** Initial citation considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609; Draw line through **EXAMINER:** citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to

applidant.